

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 907

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE CURTIS.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapters 304 and 557, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to community service.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapters 304 and 557, RSMo, are amended by adding thereto two new sections, to be known as sections 304.827 and 557.055, to read as follows:

2 **304.827. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for all traffic offenses deemed**
3 **infractions or class C misdemeanors under this chapter or violations of any ordinance or**
4 **political subdivision of this state, the court of jurisdiction shall be required to sentence**
5 **defendants to community service, in lieu of paying restitution, court costs, fees, expenses,**
6 **or fines.**

2 **557.055. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for all offenses deemed class**
3 **C misdemeanors until December 31, 2016, or class D misdemeanors beginning January 1,**
4 **2017, or violations of any ordinance or political subdivision of this state, the court of**
5 **jurisdiction shall be required to sentence defendants to community service, in lieu of**
6 **imprisonment or paying restitution, court costs, fees, expenses, or fines.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.